

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

EFS&T DEPARTMENT – Social Forestry Programme – Raising of 75 Crore seedlings by the Forest Department for plantation during the next five years – Hiring of vehicles for the Forest Range Officers (Social Forestry) for effective implementation of the programme at the field level - Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (S.II) DEPARTMENT

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Government have launched a massive programme of tree plantation and soil/water conservation under the “Neeru-Chettu” programme to be implemented during the next five years. 75 Crore seedlings are proposed to be raised duly encouraging the local species in both the department owned nurseries and the private nurseries where land is taken by the department on lease basis. Soil and water conservation measures are also being undertaken simultaneously to increase the availability of ground water which will sustain a massive tree plantation programme for their survival to increase the green coverage in the state.

2. During the video conference held on 19.03.2015 with all the Conservator of Forests (Social Forestry) and Divisional Forest Officers (Social Forestry), it was suggested that all the 35 Forest Range Officers (Social Forestry) who are in position out of 47 posts sanctioned in the state should be permitted to hire vehicles and be provided with the facility of reimbursement of cell phone charges for the effective supervision of the social forestry programme in the field.

3. Government after careful examination hereby permit the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Hyderabad to hire 35 vehicles with effect from 01.04.2015 duly following the existing guidelines of the Government and also permit for the reimbursement of cell phone charges limiting to the same facility as it is currently being provided to the Forest Range Officers and Forest Section Officers working in the territorial divisions. The expenditure shall be met out of the funds available at the district level with the District Social Forestry Committee under the head of sale of seedlings/plantations.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)
ASHWINI KUMAR PARIDA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
All District Collectors.

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